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Re: United States Patent Application No. 10/800,746
Our Ref.: 12008-6US SC/sm

Please see attached Amendment with a deadline of March 10, 2005.

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| INVENTION Bagging of Compressible Bulk Material | | | | |

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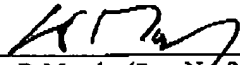
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

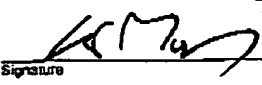
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AMENDMENT A

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 10, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.